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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Chapoulaud et al.

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Serial No.: 09/941,151

Examiner: Melba N. Bumgarner

Filed: August 28, 2001

For: CUSTOM ORTHODONTIC APPLIANCE FORMING METHOD AND  
APPARATUS**Petition for Extension of Time**Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

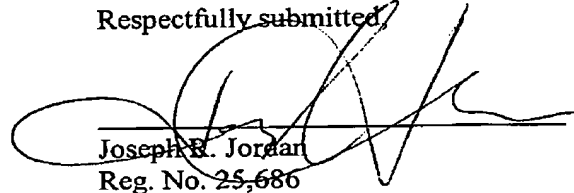
A Notice of Appeal was filed on October 6, 2005. Therefore, the original response date is December 6, 2005. An Extension of Time was filed on December 21, 2005 for a one month extension extending up to and including January 6, 2006.

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), Applicant respectfully petitions for an extension of time of two (2) months from the original response date of December 6, 2005 for responding in the above-identified patent application.

**With the extension of time and fee included herewith, the period for response now extends up to and includes February 6, 2006. Please charge Deposit Account 23-3000 in the amount of \$330.00.**

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Respectfully submitted,

  
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